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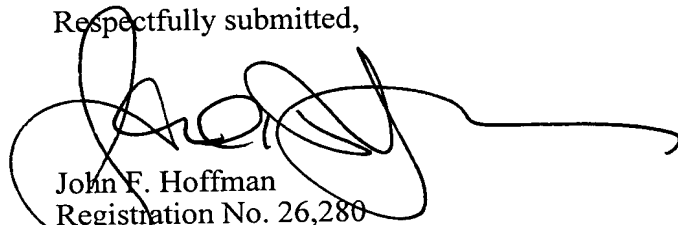
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With the exception of U.S. Patent No. 4,789,771, European Patent No. EP 0133847 and U.S. Patent No. 3,620,706, all patents were cited in an International Search Report dated June 29, 2000 for PCT/EP00/02505. U.S. Patent No. 4,213,753 is the English language counterpart of French Patent No. 2 386 492. U.S. Patent No. 4,889,547 is the English language counterpart of European Patent No. 0 317 409. U.S. Patent No. 2,825,183 is the English language counterpart of German Patent No. 10 24 684. U.S. Patent No. 4,547,650 is the English language counterpart of European Patent No. 0 112 224.

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